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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Personnel

SUBJECT : Delegation of Authority for Approval of Rates of Compensation for Contract Personnel

1. After review of the questions raised regarding the above subject in your memorandum of 16 September 1955, it appears that the delegation of authority expressed in Notice No. [REDACTED] gave to the Director of Personnel authority in connection with the execution of, amendment, and termination of contracts or agreements (for personal services with other than Agency employees) to the same degree that that authority was held by the Special Contracting Officer.

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2. The provision that the Deputy Director (Administration) concur in writing in all contracts providing remuneration in excess of that for grade GS-15 and less than that for grade GS-18 was not rescinded, however. Although the Director of Personnel was given authority to participate in the execution of such contracts as a result of Notice No. [REDACTED], the extent of remuneration called for in the contracts outlined above appears to be still subject to approval in writing by the now Deputy Director (Support).

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3. Inasmuch as there are two Agency Regulations in process, which I presume call for the approval of the Director of Personnel on those contracts in which remuneration is in excess of that for grade GS-15 and less than that for grade GS-18, I will defer action on changing [REDACTED] until Regulation No. [REDACTED] and Regulation No. [REDACTED] are published.

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